

LAUDERDALE COUNTY, MS

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	356	407	449
Acreage	74,742	80,683	86,233
Average size (acres)	210	198	192
Median size (acres)	100	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	164,715	155,722	129,325
Machinery/equip (dollars)	22,502	15,166	19,378
Cropland (acres)			
Total	21,617	29,719	34,615
Harvested	7,369	9,221	12,507
Irrigated	42	192	82
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	4,733	5,154	4,647
(dollars avg. per farm)	13,295	12,664	10,350
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	270	1,412	-459
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	11,751	11,387	13,337
Beef cows	D	6,525	8,333
Milk cows	D	229	188
Hogs and pigs	237	206	124
Sheep and lambs	43	22	D
Layers 13 wks or/older	240	D	502
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	103	166	140
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	0	0
Wheat	0	0	D
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	D
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	0	0	D
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	7,145	8,863	11,191
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture